GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

A.P. State Beverages Corporation Limited – Retail Outlets - Installation of CC Cameras for full-fledged security and deployment of suitable additional manpower for efficient administration – Permission - Accorded – Orders – Issued.

REVENUE (EXCISE)DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No.24 **Dated: 21 .01.2022**

Read the following:

1) G.O.Ms.No.357 Rev (Ex- II) Dept. dt.16.08.2019.
2) Lr.No.APSBCL/Surveillance/2019/ dt.30.12.2021.
3) Lr.No.APSBCL/F&A/NCDs/2021-22 dt.17.01.2022 of CDB & MD., APSBCL.

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ORDER:

The A.P. State Beverages Corporation Limited has been registered under the Companies Act, 2013 with the main objects, inter-alia, of conducting wholesale and retail trade in IMFL & FL in the State. The Company has been entrusted with certain activities relating to wholesale trade, export and import of IMFL & FL and is allowed 0.5% remuneration. Further, it has been granted exclusive privilege of conducting retailing in IMFL & FL in the State w.e.f.01.10.2019 and is allowed 6% margin towards retailing expenditure. Accordingly, the Corporation is operating (2934) retail outlets as fixed by the Government.

2. Further, orders have been issued in the reference 1st read above for installation of required CC Cameras in the retail outlets for close monitoring of the outlet functioning / transactions and also to check for any violations committed by the personnel working in the retail outlets.

3. The Commissioner of Distilleries & Breweries and Managing Director, A.P. State Beverages Corporation Limited has submitted a report in the reference 2nd read above stating that cases of theft and attacks on the security personnel are increasing in the recent past. Surveillance under CC Cameras would surely prevent thefts, disorderly behaviour by customers, violations by sales personnel etc. Stored footage for 30 days as backup can be utilized as evidence in the event of theft or any untoward incident happened at the outlet, etc. and for fixing responsibilities for any deviations.

4. The Commissioner of Distilleries & Breweries and Managing Director, A.P. State Beverages Corporation Limited has further reported that the Audit has also advised to install CC Cameras to ensure full-fledged security and deploy suitable additional manpower in the retail outlets for efficient administration and the expenditure would be met from Corporation's own resources without the requiring any additional allocation of budget / funds vide reference 3rd read above.

5. The Government after careful examination of the matter hereby accord permission to the A.P. State Beverages Corporation Limited to install CC Cameras in the retail outlets and deploy suitable additional manpower at the retail outlets to ensure full-fledged security and efficient administration of the retail outlets and the expenditure would be met from Corporation's own resources without the requirement of any additional allocation of budget / funds.

6. The Commissioner of Distilleries & Breweries and Managing Director, A.P. State Beverages Corporation Limited shall take necessary action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

Dr. RAJAT BHARGAVA
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Commissioner of Distilleries & Breweries and Managing Director,
A.P. State Beverages Corporation Limited, Vijayawada.

Copy to:
The Commissioner of Prohibition & Excise, A.P., Vijayawada.
The General Administration (Cabinet) Department.
The PS to Principal Secretary to C.M.
The PS to the Chief Secretary to Government.
The PS to the Special Chief Secretary to Govt., Revenue (P&E and R&S) Dept.

//FORWARDED :: BY ORDER //

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SECTION OFFICER